Subject: Re: determing object type at runtime in IDL Posted by reger on Fri, 31 Oct 2003 16:17:35 GMT

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JD Smith <jdsmith@as.arizona.edu> wrote in message
news:<pan.2003.10.30.00.42.47.764280.5089@as.arizona.edu>...
> On Wed, 29 Oct 2003 16:15:08 -0700, David Fanning wrote:
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>> Rob Eger writes:
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>>> Is there a way to determine the type of object something is at runtime?
>>> For example, if an object x is an IDLgrView or IDLgrModel object.
>>> SIZE doesn't help as far as I can tell because it will only tell you
>>> it's an OBJREF.
>>
>> Try this:
>>
    IDL> Print, Obj_Class(object)
>>
>
 Or, more often what you want:
>
> IDL> print,obj_isa(object,'IDLgrModel')
> which searches up the inheritence tree too.
> JD
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Thanks for the pointers. I think that'll give me what I'm looking for.

Rob.